

## REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Date of Entry in Register: 1 March 1995

Name of Applicant/Court: The Film and Video Labelling Body Inc.

Applicant to the Labelling Body: Video Wholesalers Ltd

Title of Publication: Oral Obsession

Other Known Titles: Not Stated

Director: Paul Thomas

Producer: Bud Lee

Publisher: Not Applicable

Author: Not Applicable

Medium: Video Recording

Format: VHS/PAL

Country of Origin: USA

Language: English

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### Components of film originally examined:

Feature:	Oral Obsession	Running time:	84:58
Trailers:	Safe Sex Warning	Running time:	00:43
	Copyright Notice	Running time:	00:13
	Vivid Video Logo	Running time:	00:25
		Total Running Time:	86:19

Excision/Alteration:

Yes

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OFLC Ref:  
000701

Reason(s) for Excision:

Excision 1. 03:52 - 09:38.

Remove the sequence which depicts an obscene telephone call, made by a man to a woman, which promotes the view that this is desirable for women and undermines the adverse social reality of a criminal act.

Excision 2. 13:02 - 13:30.

Remove the sequence which depicts an obscene telephone call, made by a man to a woman, which promotes the view that this is desirable for women and undermines the adverse social reality of a criminal act.

Excision 3. 15:53 - 16:25.

Remove the sequence which depicts an obscene telephone call, made by a man to a woman, which promotes the view that this is desirable for women and undermines the adverse social reality of a criminal act.

Excision 4. 55:50 - 57:19.

Remove the depiction of a man who holds down a woman by her hair in order to ejaculate over her face and mouth, presented in a manner which promotes the view that a deliberate and demeaning act of male sexual dominance is desirable.

**Approved components of film after excision:**

Feature	Oral Obsession	Running time:	76:34
Trailers	Safe Sex Warning	Running time:	00:43
	Copyright Notice	Running time:	00:13
	Vivid Video Logo	Running time:	00:25
		Total Amended Running time:	77:55

Classification Decision:

Objectionable except if the availability of the film is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 18 years

Display conditions:

Nil

Descriptive Note:

Contains explicit sex scenes.

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Direction to issue a label has been given on

1 March 1995

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**SUMMARY OF THE REASONS FOR DECISION:**

Not Applicable